

BEI THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
in and for the STATE OF UTAH

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPROVAL OF THE)	
NOTICE OF INTENT AND RECLAMATION PLAN)	ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
SUBMITTED BY ATLAS MINERALS CORPORATION,)	No. ACT-037-008
LOCUST-SPIDER MINE, SAN JUAN COUNTY,)	
UTAH.)	

THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL OPERATORS, TAKERS OF PRODUCTION, MINERAL AND ROYALTY OWNERS, AND PARTICULARLY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN TOWNSHIP 32 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, SLBM, SAN JUAN COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given that tentative approval was given to Atlas Minerals Corporation by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining, to continue underground uranium mining, on portions of Section 5, Township 32 South, Range 25 East, SLBM, San Juan County, Utah. The name of the mine is the Locust-Spider Mine and the person representing the company in this matter is Mr. Thomas L. Wilson, Mine Manager, Atlas Minerals Corporation, Big Indian Mines, Moab, Utah 84532.

Atlas Minerals Corporation has fulfilled their obligations under the Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975 (Section 40-8, U.C.A., 1953, as amended) and will employ the following reclamation techniques on 2 acres which comprise the land affected. The land affected is on unpatented mining claims.

During Operations:

- 1) Mining will be conducted in a safe, orderly, and minerlike manner.
- 2) Waste rock will be deposited in a designated location, away from surface drainage channels.

After Operations:

- 1) Extraneous debris, scrap metal, discarded wood, and unuseable buildings will be buried or removed from the location.
- 2) All portals and vent holes will be properly sealed to prevent entry.
- 3) To the extent that they are accessible to machinery, the waste rock dumps will be regraded and stabilized through establishing vegetation by seeding or planting.
- 4) Working pads, camps, and stockpile areas will be stabilized through establishing a vegetative cover by seeding with a specified seed mixture.
- 5) The access road to the portals will not be closed due to probable post-mining land uses beyond the mine area.

Reclamation performance surety will be established upon final approval of the reclamation plan.

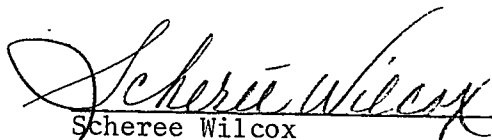
Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision is hereby requested to submit written protest within 30 days of February 25, 1977,

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to the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining, 1588 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah 84116, setting forth factual reasons for his complaint, and thereafter, at a time and place heretobe established, appear before the Board of Oil, Gas, and Mining, to show cause, if any there be, why this plan should not be approved.

DATED this 16th day of February, 1977.

STATE OF UTAH
BOARD OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING


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Secretary of the Board